

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: LITERACY REQUIREMENT-INTER-AMERICAN HUMAN RIGHTS  
COMMISSION

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1. TITLE II, ARTICLE 10 OF THE 173 CONSTITUTION OF THE  
REPUBLIC OF PANAMA STATES:

"PANAMANIAN NATIONALITY THROUGH NATURALIZATION MAY  
BE APPLIED FOR BY: 1. FOREIGNERS WITH FIVE CONSECUTIVE  
YEARS OF RESIDENCE IN THE TERRITORY OF THE REPUBLIC OF  
PANAMA IF, AFTER HAVING REACHED MAJORITY, THEY DECLARE  
THEIR DESIRE TO BECOME NATURALIZED, EXPRESSLY RENOUNCE  
THEIR ORIGINAL NATIONALITY, OR THE NATIONALITY THEY  
PRESENTLY HAVE, AND PROVE THAT THEY SPEAK SPANISH AND  
HAVE A BASIC KNOWLEDGE OF GEOGRAPHY, HISTORY AND  
POLITICAL STRUCTURE OF PANAMA."

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